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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
Plaintiff,  
v.  
LOUIS ONG,  
Defendant.

Case No.: CR-17-191-RSL

**[PROPOSED] ORDER TO  
CONTINUE TRIAL DATE AND  
PRETRIAL MOTIONS DATE**

1 The Court has read and considered the parties' stipulation to continue the trial  
2 date and pretrial motions deadline filed on September 26, 2017, and the facts and  
3 circumstances described in it, which are incorporated as findings of fact, and finds  
4 that:

5 (a) taking into account the exercise of due diligence, a failure to grant a  
6 continuance would deny counsel for the defendant the reasonable time necessary for  
7 effective preparation, due to counsel's need for more time to review the evidence,  
8 consider possible defenses, and gather evidence material to the defense, as set forth in  
9 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(iv);

10 (b) a failure to grant a continuance would likely result in a miscarriage of  
11 justice, as set forth in 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(i);

12 (c) the additional time requested is a reasonable period of delay, as the  
13 defendant has requested more time to prepare for trial, to investigate the matter, to  
14 gather evidence material to the defense, and to consider possible defenses; and

15 (d) the case is sufficiently complex that it is unreasonable to expect adequate  
16 preparation for pretrial proceedings or the trial itself within the current trial schedule,  
17 as set forth in 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(ii);

18 (e) the ends of justice will best be served by a continuance, and the ends of  
19 justice outweigh the best interests of the public and the defendant in any speedier  
20 trial, as set forth in 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A);

21 (f) the additional time requested between the current trial date of October 23,  
22 2017, and the new trial date of April 9, 2018, is necessary to provide counsel for Mr.  
23 Ong reasonable time to prepare for trial considering counsel's schedule and all of the  
24 facts set forth above; and

25 (g) that the period of delay from the date of this order to March 6, 2018 is  
26 excludable pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161(h)(7)(A) and (h)(7)(B).  
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1 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the trial date in this matter shall be  
2 continued to April 9, 2018, and the pretrial motions shall be filed no later than March  
3 2, 2018.

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5 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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7 DATED: September \_\_, 2017

8 Hon. Robert S. Lasnik  
9 Senior United States District Judge  
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